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PQ 42905/24 *"To ask the Minister for Health the plans to have a dedicated Alzheimer Day Care Centre within CHO9 for people with Alzheimer's disease"* **Paul Donnelly, TD**

Dear Deputy Donnelly,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

I am not aware of any current plans for an additional dedicated Alzheimer Day Centre in the Integrated Health Areas of Dublin North County and Dublin North City & West (formerly known as CHO DNCC).

At present there are 7 Dementia Specific Day Care Centres in this area, 5 of which are operated by the Alzheimer's Society of Ireland (ASI) listed below

- ASI, Fingal Day Care Centre, Balbriggan Rugby Club, Inch, Balbriggan, Co Dublin, K32 VK26
- ASI, Malahide Day Care Centre, St. Benedicts Housing, Estuary Road, Malahide, Co Dublin, K36 DH56
- ASI, Failte Day Care Centre, Fold Housing Complex, 2D Cherryfield Lawn, Hartstown, Dublin 15
- ASI, Le Cheile Day Care Centre, Fold Housing Complex, St. Canice's Road, Glasnevin, Dublin 11

Additionally there are a further 2 Dementia Specific Day Care Centres located at:

- La Verna Day Care Centre, Grange Road, Baldoyle, Dublin 13
- Nethercross Day Care Centre, 23 Tolka Valley View, Finglas South, Dublin 11

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

Essene Cassidy
Head of Older Persons Services